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GOVERNMENT RESPONSE TO THE FIRST REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION

The Committee is pleased to make available the [government response](#) (.PDF, 627 KB), in **printable format**, to its First report entitled: Safe Haven in Canada: Special Immigration and Refugee Measures are Urgently Needed for the People of Hong Kong.

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The Canadian Government has posted its take on the report by the Immigration Committee in Parliament. This concerns the topic: “Safe Haven in Canada: Special Immigration and Refugee Measures are Urgently Needed for the People of Hong Kong”.

The responses are not encouraging. Overall, Ottawa seems to favour more people coming to Canada, and less accountability overall. While most of the recommendations are specific to Hong Kong, there’s little interest in legitimate security concerns related to China.

1. Mass LEGAL Immigration In Canada

Despite what many think, **LEGAL** immigration into Canada is actually a much larger threat than illegal aliens, given the true scale of the replacement that is happening. What was founded as a European (British) colony is becoming unrecognizable due to forced demographic changes. There are also social, economic, environmental and voting changes to consider. See this Canadian [series](#), and the UN [programs](#) for more detail. Politicians, the media, and so-called “experts” have no interest in coming clean on this.

[CLICK HERE](#), for UN Genocide Prevention/Punishment Convention.

[CLICK HERE](#), for Barcelona Declaration & Kalergi Plan.

[CLICK HERE](#), for UN Kalergi Plan (population replacement).

[CLICK HERE](#), for UN replacement efforts since 1974.

[CLICK HERE](#), for tracing steps of UN replacement agenda.

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2. Recommendations From June 2022 Report

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SPECIAL IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEE MEASURES FOR THE PEOPLE OF HONG KONG

Report and Government Response

Report 1: Safe Haven in Canada: Special Immigration and Refugee Measures are Urgently Needed for the People of Hong Kong

- Adopted by the Committee: February 1, 2022
- Presented to the House: February 4, 2022

Report 1

Presented to the House: Friday, February 4, 2022

Government Response

Presented to the House: Monday, June 6, 2022

Recommendation 1

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada ***issue study permits to Hong Kong applicants who have been accepted in a study program*** at an institution with a COVID-19 readiness plan, ***regardless of their age.***

Recommendation 2

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada undertake to ***extend the young professionals Working Holiday work permit*** for Hong Kong residents to ***two years and to include persons up to 35 years of age.***

Recommendation 3

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada ***extend the criteria for eligibility for the three-year open work permit to include all persons with a minimum of 60 credits or its equivalent*** of post-secondary education ***regardless of when this education was completed.***

Disagreed with, if only because there are already of pathways available. This is a response that will come up over and over again.

Recommendations 4 and 5

#4 That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada adopt an inclusive approach and ***develop a pathway to permanent residence for former Hong Kong residents*** based on a broad range of work experience, and requiring minimal language and education levels.

#5 That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada quickly ***develop and implement a pathway to permanent residence for Hong Kong residents who complete their post-secondary studies in Canada***, ensuring that this pathway remains available to all Hong Kong residents studying at designated learning institutions.

Recommendations 6 and 7

#6 That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada create a temporary public policy to ***grant refugee status to pro-democracy activists within Hong Kong and within third countries***, which will enable their resettlement to Canada.

#7 That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada ***implement a temporary public policy*** to bring Hong Kong residents at risk to Canada on temporary resident visas ***regardless of their age.***

Recommendation 8

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada ***partner with designated non-governmental organizations to identify Hong Kong pro-democracy activists in need of safe haven in Canada on a temporary resident visa***, to certify Hong Kong refugees, and to facilitate both classes of Hong Kong residents at risk to travel from Hong Kong to third countries and to Canada, and redevelop a ***refugee stream similar to the former source country program***.

Recommendation 9

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada acknowledge the urgency of the situation and that, given the exit ban will take effect on 1 August 2021, the Minister immediately respond with an ***expansion of humanitarian measures to the current immigration and refugee measures*** to support the people of Hong Kong.

Recommendation 10

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada issue travel documents to residents of Hong Kong at risk of persecution and ***exempt them from non-essential pandemic travel restrictions***, following all public health guidelines.

Recommendation 11

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada implement a temporary public policy to ***create an expedited pathway to permanent residence for Hong Kong residents*** in Canada or abroad before the exit ban comes into effect on 1 August 2021.

Recommendation 12

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada ***promote its family reunification stream to family members of Hong Kong residents looking to come to Canada*** and create a temporary public policy to also include ***extended family members of Canadian citizens and of pro-democracy activists*** living in Canada.

Recommendation 13

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada develop a temporary public policy to ***allow former Canadian citizens to return to Canada as permanent residents***.

Recommendation 14

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada, in partnership with Public Services and Procurement Canada, and, as needed, other departments and agencies, ***investigate Canada's Visa Application Centres in China, especially in regard to personal data leaks*** due to employee coercion, and that it tables its findings with the Committee.

Recommendation 15

That Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada ***terminate its contract with VFS Global in China*** and bring the services back in-house at Canadian diplomatic missions in China.

The Government disagrees with recommendations #14 and #15, which is interesting. There seems to be little urgency to investigate, or replace a private agency (despite concerns) that is processing the visas for Chinese nationals.

Doesn't seem like there is much interest in protecting Canadian borders or sovereignty.

3. Important Links

(1) <https://www.ourcommons.ca/DocumentViewer/en/44-1/CIMM/report-1/>

(2) <https://www.ourcommons.ca/DocumentViewer/en/44-1/CIMM/report-1/response-8512-441-10>

(3)

https://www.ourcommons.ca/content/Committee/441/CIMM/GovResponse/RP11842881/441_CIMM_Rpt01_GR/DepartmentOfCitizenshipAndImmigration-e.pdf

(4) [Department Of Citizenship And Immigration Hong Kong](#)

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